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MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

Subject: Development of Intelligence on USSR

1. By informal arrangement, a Planning Committee and a Working Committee, under the coordination of C.I.G., and with representation by ONI, ORI, A-2, and G-2, have been organized in connection with Development of Intelligence on the USSR. Formalizing action by the C.I.G. is required.

2. The Planning Staff has prepared a draft of proposed action by C.I.G. It consists of a memorandum from the Director of Central Intelligence to the members of the Intelligence Advisory Board, forwarding a draft of a formal directive embodying the appropriate provisions of the informal arrangements and plans previously made.

3. a. The coordinator furnished by C.I.G. for the Planning Committee should be from the Central Planning Staff. [REDACTED] is at present acting in that capacity and will continue to do so until relieved by someone from the Intelligence Branch.

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b. The coordinator furnished by the C.I.G. to the Working Committee should be from the Central Reports Staff. [REDACTED] is acting in this capacity at present, but should be replaced by an officer from the CRS as soon as possible.

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4. Action recommended: That the memorandum be approved and dispatched to the Advisory Board.

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Acting Chief, Central Planning Staff

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